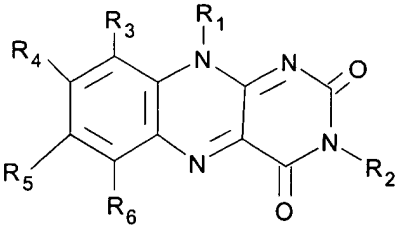

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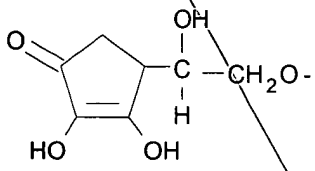
wherein R1, R2, R3, R4, R5 and R6 are, independently from one another, selected from the group consisting of hydrogen; -OH; $-NH_2$; $-SO_4$; $-PO_4$; -Cl; -Br; -I; straight chain or cyclic saccharides with 5 or 6 carbon atoms;



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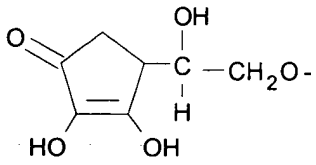
amino acid groups; optionally substituted alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl or aryl groups with from 1 to 20 carbon atoms said alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl or aryl groups optionally substituted with one or more of -O-, -S-, -OH, $-NH_2$, $-SO_4$, $-PO_4$, -Cl, -Br, -I; $-NR^a-(CR^bR^c)_n-X$ wherein X is a halogen selected from the group consisting of chlorine, bromine and iodine, R^a, R^b and R^c are, independently of each other, selected from the group consisting of hydrogen; straight chain or cyclic saccharides with 5 or 6 carbon atoms;



amino acid groups; optionally substituted alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl or aryl groups with from 1 to 20 carbon atoms said groups optionally substituted with one or more of -O-, -S-, -OH, $-NH_2$, $-SO_4$, $-PO_4$, -Cl, -Br, -I; and halogen selected from the group consisting of chlorine, bromine and iodine; and salts of the foregoing wherein n is an integer from 0 to 20;

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provided that R1 is neither H nor -OH nor a straight chain alkyl group where the second carbon of the chain is substituted with -OH or =O except that the compound may be

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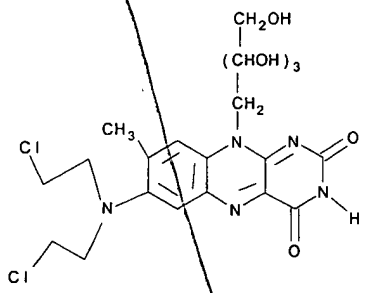

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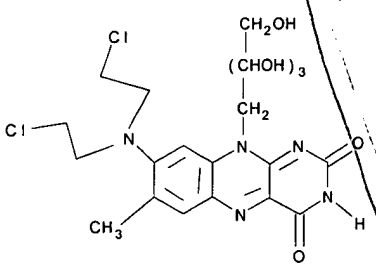
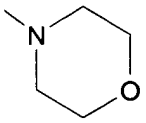


and provided that R1, R4, R5 are not all methyl groups when R2, R3 and R6 are hydrogen and R1 is not a 2-, 3-, 4- or 5- carbon straight chain alkyl that terminates in -OH, -COH, or -H when

R2, R3 and R6 are H, and R4 and R5 are CH_3, provided that R1 is not -OH or a straight chain alkyl group where the second carbon of the chain is substituted with -OH or =O; and R1 is not a 2-, 3-, 4- or 5- carbon straight chain alkyl that terminates in -OH, -COH, or -H when R2, R3 and R6 are H, and R4 and R5 are CH_3; R1 is not - CH_2CH_2-$(CHOH)_2$-CH_3 or -CH_2CH_2-$(CHOH)_2$ -CH_2SO_4 or 1'-D-sorbityl or 1'-D-dulcityl or 1'-D-rhamnityl or 1'-D,L-glyceryl or -CH_2-O-C(O)-CH_3 or -CH_2-O-C(O)-CH_2CH_3 or 2', 3', 4', 5'-di-O-isopropyridene-riboflavin or 8-aminooctyl when R2, R3 and R6 are H and R4 and R5 are CH_3; R1 is not 1'-D-sorbityl or 1'-D-dulcityl when R4 and R5 are both chlorines and when R2, R3 and R6 are all hydrogens; R5 is not ethyl or chloro when R1 and R4 are methyl and R2, R3 and R6 are all hydrogens; R4 and R5 are not both methoxy or both tetramethylene when R1 is methyl and R2, R3 and R6 are all hydrogens; R2 is not -CH_2CH_2NH when R1, R4 and R5 are CH_3 and R3 and R6 are H; R2 is not



when R1, R4 and R5 are CH_3 and R3 and R6 are H; R5 is not chloro when R4 is methoxy and R1 is ethyl-2'N-pyrrolidino and R2, R3, and R6 are hydrogen; R1 is not N,N-dimethylaminopropyl or N,N-diethylaminoethyl when R5 is chloro or methyl and R2, R3, R4 and R6 are hydrogen; R3 is not -$NH(CH_2CH_2)Cl$ when R6 is -NH2 and R1, R2, R4 and R5 are H; R1, R4, R5 are not all methyl groups when all of R2, R3 and R6 are hydrogens; R1 and R2 are not both methyl groups when R3, R4, R5 and R6 are H; R1, R4, R5 and R2 are not all methyl groups when R3 and R6 are hydrogens; R2 does not contain a carbonyl group when R1, R4 and R5 are methyl and R3 and R6 are hydrogen; R4 is not -NH2 when R1 and R5 are methyl and R2, R3 and R6 are all hydrogen; R1 is not a phenyl group when R4 and R5 are methyl and R2, R3 and R6 are all H; R1 is not methyl or N,N-dimethylaminoethyl when all of R2, R3, R4, R5 and R6 are hydrogen; R2, R4, R5 are not all methyl when R1 is acetoxyethyl and R3 and R6 are hydrogen; R5 is not methyl when R1 is N,N-diethylaminoethyl and R2, R3, R4 and R6 are all hydrogen; R4 and R5 are not both chlorine when R1 is methyl and R2, R3 and R6 are all

hydrogen; R1 is not ethyl, β-chloroethyl, n-butyl, anilino, benzyl, phenyl, p-tolyl or p-anisyl when R5 is NH_2 and R2, R3, R4 and R6 are all hydrogen; and R4 is not chlorine when R1 is N,N-dimethylaminopropyl and R2, R3, R5 and R6 are all hydrogen;

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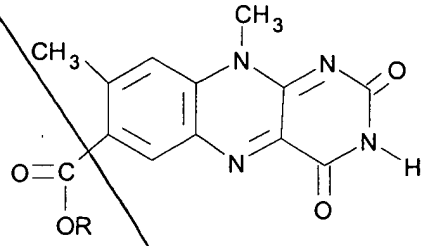
provided that the compound is not:



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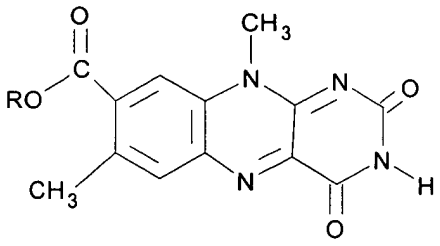
wherein R is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen and optionally substituted straight chain or branched alkyl having from 1 to 20 carbon atoms; and provided that the compound is not:



wherein R is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen and optionally substituted straight chain or branched alkyl having from 1 to 20 carbon atoms; and provided that the compound is not:

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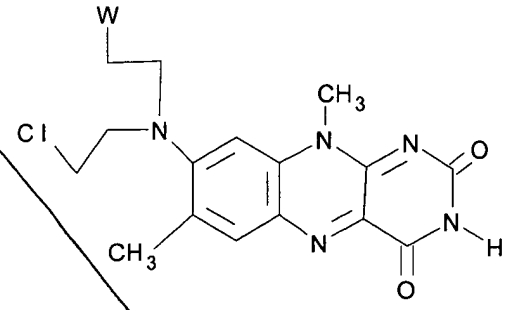

wherein W is a water soluble group; and provided that R4 is not -OH, -Br, -Cl, -SH, -O-Alk, or -SAlk when R5 is CH3; R6, R3 and R2 are H and when R1 is Alk or H, where Alk is an alkyl chain of 1 to 4 carbon atoms; provided that R2 is not a 11 carbon straight chain alkyl group when R1, R3, R6 are H and R4 and R5 are methyl; and provided that R2 is not octadecyl or undecyl when R4 and R5 are methyl and R3 and R6 are hydrogen; and provided that R2 is not a benzyl group when R1, R4 and R5 are methyl; and R3 and R6 are hydrogen; and provided that R1 or R2 do not contain a poly(pyrrolecarboxaminde) group; and provided that R5 is not bromo, chloro, nitro or trifluoromethyl when R2 is hydrogen, methyl, hydroxyethyl or benzyl and R3 and R6 are hydrogen and R1 is ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, pentyl, hexyl, phenyl, benzyl, phenehtyl, naphthyl, p-tolyl, p-ethylphenyl, p-anisyl, p-ethoxyphenyl, p-butoxyphenyl, 3,4-dicholorophenyl, methoxyethyl or ethoxyethyl; and provided that R1 is not a five carbon alkyl chain where four carbons are substituted with -O-COR where RCO is a straight chain alkanoyl group containing from 4 to 20 carbon atoms; and provided that R1 is not a phosphoric acid substituted hydroxyalkyl group when R2, R3, R4, R5 and R6 are hydrogen; and provided that R1 is not a two to six member alkyl chain terminated with a sulfate radical, a phosphate radical or an acyloxy radical, the acyl group of which is derived from an organic acid with not more than eighteen carbon atoms.

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Please cancel claim 61 without prejudice.

62. (once amended) The compound having the structure:

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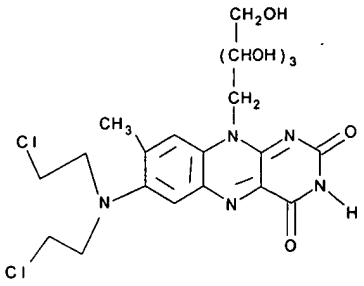

63. (once amended) The compound having the structure:

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